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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Confirmation No. 8763

FRITZ, Donald S.

Serial No.: 09/975,100 Examiner: John B. Vigushin

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Title: SEMICONDUCTOR PACKAGE

WITH STRESS INHIBITING INTERMEDIATE MOUNTING

SUBSTRATE

Attorney Docket No.: 9818-053-999

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION MAILED APRIL 16, 2003

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed April 16, 2003, in the above identified application. A petition is enclosed to extend by two (2) months to September 16, 2003 the time for responding to this Office Action.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fee(s) to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.